

THEATRE SHERIDAN

— presents —

FIDDLER ON THE ROOF

*Based on Sholem Aleichem stories
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Arnold Perl

Book By
Joseph Stein

Music By
Jerry Bock

Lyrics By
Sheldon Harnick

Produced on the New York Stage by

Harold Prince

Original New York Stage Production Directed and Choreographed by

Jerome Robbins

Directed by

GREG PETERSON

Musical Direction by
GREG ANDREWS,
ALAN POAPS

Original choreography reproduced by
RICHARD SUGARMAN

Vocal Coaching by

SHEILA BRAND, CHRISTINA JAMES,
ALISON KENNY-GARDHOUSE, JEAN MINIELLY

Set and Props Designed by
RUTH HOWARD

Costumes Designed by
DAVID W. JUBY

Lighting Designed by
ELIZABETH ASSELSTINE

Sound Designed by
MICHAEL FARNSWORTH



*Fiddler on the Roof is presented through special arrangement with
Music Theatre International, 545 Eighth Avenue, New York, NY 10018,
in co-operation with Theatre Sheridan, Sheridan College, Oakville.*


PRODUCER'S NOTES

Welcome to the first production of the Theatre Sheridan 1990-91 season! Many thanks to all of our supporters from last year – you helped make it a very successful season, with an 89% sellout. Over the past year, we have attracted a large number of first-time Theatre Sheridan patrons, and judging by the increasing number of requests to be placed on our mailing list, and the fact that all Friday and Saturday evening performances for the entire season are sold out, the upcoming season should be a smash hit!

*This season is reminiscent of earlier years. This year, we are producing a show that some of our long-time Theatre Sheridan patrons will remember. **Nellie McClung** was first presented by Theatre Sheridan in 1976, (the second season of operation for Sheridan Hall and the only show to date performed "in the round"), and is slated as our third mainstage show.*

*We also return to our Studio venue this year, with a production of **Les Belles Soeurs**. While we have not included the Studio as part of our season's package, we are hoping that many of our regular mainstage customers will join us for this exciting presentation.*

To improve our service to you, we now have a direct-dial line to the Box Office and have installed an answering machine to receive your calls. So to all of our valued patrons, thank you for your previous support and welcome to the 18th Theatre Sheridan season.



Marilyn Lawrie
Producer, Theatre Sheridan

CAST

THE FATHERS

Tevye, the dairyman SEAN DOYLE
Lazar Wolf, the butcher DAVID PAUL
Mordcha, the innkeeper SHAWN DAUDLIN
Avram, the bookseller PETER FLEMING
Shmuel, the shoemaker JASON BARBECK

THE MOTHERS

Golde, Tevye's wife ARLENE TURNER
Shaindel, Motel's mother LORNA HAZEN
Seamcha, the shoemaker's wife SHANNA U'REN
Mirala, the bookseller's wife ANGELA BINNIE
Leah, the widow PAIGE TUDDENHAM
Ester, the innkeeper's wife CAROLE MACKERETH

THE SONS

Motel, the tailor ROB ISEMAN
Perchik, the student GEOFF TYLER
Mendel, the rabbi's son SCOTT BLOXOM
Yaakov, the bagel seller MICHAEL KERR

THE DAUGHTERS

Tzeitel, the dairyman's eldest daughter SHELLEY SIMESTER
Hodel, the dairyman's daughter MEREDITH PALMER
Chava, the dairyman's daughter JENNIFER COOK
Shprintze, the dairyman's daughter JENNIFER MAGEE
Bielke, the dairyman's youngest daughter DEANNA OVERLAND
Ruchel, the shoemaker's daughter ALEX BURNS

THE SPECIAL TYPES

Yente, the matchmaker ANNE MARIE MASSICOTTE
Nahum, the beggar KENT SCHENK
The Rabbi JOEL FREEDMAN
Grandmother Tzeitel PAIGE TUDDENHAM
The Voice of Fruma Sarah PAIGE TUDDENHAM
The Fiddler DWAYNE ADAMS

THE OTHERS

The Priest CAROLE MACKERETH
The Constable PHILIP WALLACE
Fyedka BRENT WEES
Volodya JASON BARBECK
Sasha KENT SCHENK

PRODUCTION STAFF

Stage Manager	JUSTIN MEIER
Assistant Stage Managers	KIM RITCHIE
	BRAD HEWITT
Head Electrician	DARRYL JONES
Deck Electrician	PATRICK REA
Electrician/Follow Spot	JAMES MCQUIGGAN
Followspot	LOUISE PIGEAU
Head Carpenter	PAUL MCCUTCHEON
Carp Crew	DEREK BRUCE
Props Crew	JOE FOLEY
	LISA BUSSANICH
	ANDREW CHANG
	SHAWNA HARVEY
Head of Sound.....	ANDY ALLEN
Assistant Sound	BART HARDWICK
Paint Crew	TAMARA RIGBY
	ANDREW CHANG
Wardrobe assistants	KAREN O'BRIEN
	LOUISE PIGEAU
Dresser/Wardrobe Maintenance.....	SHAWNA HARVEY
	TAMARA RIGBY

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Our "other" old stompin' grounds



MUSICAL NUMBERS

Act One

Tradition Tevye and Company
Matchmaker Tzeitel, Hodel and Chava
If I Were a Rich Man Tevye
Sabbath Prayer Tevye, Golde, and Company
To Life Tevye, Lazar, Fydka and Men
Miracle of Miracles Motel
The Dream Tevye and Company
Sunrise Sunset Tevye, Golde, Hodel, Perchik and Company
The Bottle Dance/The Wedding Dance Company

Act Two

Now I Have Everything Perchik and Hodel
Do You Love Me? Tevye and Golde
The Rumour Company
Far From the Home I Love Hodel
Little Bird, Little Chavaleh Tevye
Anatevka Company

DIRECTOR'S NOTES

There are only a handful of musicals that have as universal an appeal as Fiddler On The Roof. Since its New York premiere in 1962, it has been toured to over 60 countries and has been viewed by more than 45 million people. In their musical about the Jewish dairyman in pre-revolutionary Russia, Joseph Stein, Sheldon Harnick and Jerry Bock have managed to capture an essence of life with which we can all identify – the delicate balance between joy and sorrow. It is our sincere hope that this production entertains, moves, and enlightens you as much as it has us.

Greg Peterson
Greg Peterson
Director, Fiddler on the Roof

THEATRE SHERIDAN STAFF

Producer	MARILYN LAWRIE
Artistic Director	ROD MAXWELL
Production Manager	GRAHAM FRAMPTON
Technical Director	ADAM STEWART
Production Stage Manager	JENNIFER EMERY
Head of Wardrobe	DAVID W. JUBY
Head of Properties	SHIRLEY EPP
Props Buyer	GORD LAWSON
Props Builder	JIM PEACOCK
Lighting Supervisor	GRAHAM FRAMPTON
Audio Supervisor	MICHAEL FARNSWORTH
Head Carpenter	GRANT ROWLAND
Seamstress	SHARON GASHGARIAN
Box Office Manager	MARGARET FERENBACH
Administrative Assistant	GRACE KAY
Production Secretaries	JEAN ELIOFF FAY DOUGLAS
Publicity Assistant	JAN MUNROE
Dance Captain	CAROLE MACKERETH
Vocal Captain	JENNIFER COOK

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Our beverages are served in environmentally-friendly paper cups.*

Smoking is not allowed in any campus building.

*Tape recorders or cameras are not allowed in the theatre
during the performance.*

CORPORATE SPONSORSHIP


*Theatre Sheridan gratefully acknowledges the corporate support of
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SEASON DEDICATION

A warm welcome to our 18th Theatre Sheridan season. Our '90-91 productions are a blend of the familiar, the old, and the new. Our playbill is of special significance this year. On August 13th, 1990, the Music Theatre Department lost a valued colleague with the passing of Professor Christopher Covert. Christopher was a successful playwright, director and teacher. To his students he represented a unique balance of tradition, experimentation and innovation. The Music Theatre Department would like to honour Christopher in a special way. We have chosen to dedicate our season to his memory. In addition, the Christopher Covert Scholarship Fund has been formed to recognize the talents of Music Theatre students.

For more information, we invite you to contact the office of the Vice-President of Administration and Finance at 849-2807.

Thank you, and enjoy the show.



Don Graves

*Dean, Faculty of Fashion, Media,
Merchandising, and Music Theatre*

MAKE IT AN EVENING!

Don't miss the rest of our Theatre Sheridan 1990/91 Season.

Les Belles Soeurs (Studio Production)

November 22, 23, 24, 29, 30

December 1, 1990

Robin Hood (The Musical)

February 6, 7, 8, 9

February 12, 13, 14, 15, 16

February 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 1991

What Glorious Times They Had – Nellie McClung

March 27, 28, – , 30

April 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 1991

The Fantasticks

April 10, 11, 12, 13

April 23, 24, – , 26, 27, 1991

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